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DIST 17 OCTOBER 1967

COUNTRY: LAOS/NORTH VIETNAM

DOI: CIRCA JUNE 1967

SUBJECT: SENDING TO NORTH VIETNAM OF TWO AMERICAN PILOTS  
CAPTURED IN XIENG KHOUANG PROVINCE AND IMPRISONED  
FOR THREE DAYS AT KHANG KHAY

ACQ:

SOURCE:

LAOS, VIENTIANE (15 OCTOBER 1967)

1. EIGHT DAYS BEFORE [REDACTED] ESCAPED IN ABOUT JUNE 1967  
THE PATHER LAO (PL) BROUGHT TWO AMERICAN PILOTS TO THE PRISON  
WHERE HE WAS WORKING AT KHANG KHAY (UG 1552). THEY WERE  
IMPRISONED THERE FOR THREE DAYS THEN SENT TO NORTH VIETNAM.

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[REDACTED]  
(classification) (dissem controls)  
A JAILER TOLD [REDACTED] THAT THE PILOTS HAD BEEN SENT BY VEHICLE TO NORTH VIETNAM AND THAT THEY HAD BEEN CAPTURED AT PHOU KOUT (TG 9963) AFTER PARACHUTING FROM A DAMAGED JET AIRCRAFT.

2. BOTH OF THE AMERICANS WERE BALD, TALL AND HEALTHY LOOKING. WHEN THE PL BROUGHT THEM TO THE PRISON THEY WERE WEARING WHITE PANTS AND WHITE SHIRTS, BUT NO HATS. BOTH WERE WEARING WATCHES AND ONE SOME TYPE OF NECKLACE. THE JAILERS CONFISCATED THE WATCHES AND THE NECKLACE. THEY WORE THE SAME WHITE CLOTHING WHEN THEY LEFT FOR NORTH VIETNAM.

3. FIELD DISSEM: STATE ARMY AIR USMACV 7TH AIR FORCE  
CINCPAC PACFLT ARPAC PACAF [REDACTED]  
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